



Wikis

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wi·ki /'wikē/ Noun

A website developed collaboratively by a community of users, allowing any user to add and edit content.

The term "wiki" comes from the Hawaiian phrase, "wiki wiki," which means "super fast." Since thousands of users are adding content to a Web site on a regular basis, the site grows "super fast."

Two excellent wiki sites are:

Wikispaces (<http://www.wikispaces.com/content/teacher>)

Wikispaces video: (<http://www.wikispaces.com/content/wiki-tour>)

PBWorks (<http://pbworks.com>)

PBWorks video: (<http://youtu.be/nVO2bl8ORoc>)

Example Wikis:

<http://msbenoitahs.wikispaces.com/home>

<http://jkielfr3.wikispaces.com/Chapitre+04-vert>

<http://apcalc06.pbworks.com>

Helpful Hints:

- Click the "Edit" button to add text, images, widgets, and more (you can only edit if you're logged in).
- ALWAYS remember to click "Save" after you make changes (You can also click preview to see what your page will look like before you save).
- To add and organize content click the plus sign next to "pages and files" and title your new page or upload a file.
- If you don't want students to "Edit", make sure to lock the page.